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The references were cited in an International Search Report issued in counterpart International Application No. PCT/US05/04264 received from the International Searching Authority, dated September 5, 2006. U.S. Publication No. 2004/0123650 was previously cited in the information disclosure statement filed February 14, 2006. A copy of the Search Report and foreign reference are enclosed.

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The claims of the application as now presented are believed to be patentably distinguishable over the prior art and to be in condition for allowance. Early and favorable consideration of the case is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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